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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Hyung-taek LIM, et al.

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Examiner: A.H. Do

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For: MONOLITHIC INK-JET PRINthead HAVING A  
TAPERED NOZZLE AND METHOD FOR  
MANUFACTURING THE SAME

Atty. Docket No. 249/415

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office action mailed August 13, 2004, kindly consider the following remarks in connection with the above-identified application:

**A Listing of Claims** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.